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CAN A SINGLE PETAL EVER GROW TO BE SOMETHING MORE? MARI'S DREAM CLUB KIDS ITS SUMMER ACTING CAMP IN A SEASIDE PARADISE, BUT THE THEATER CAMP TURNING INTO MORE OF A BOOZY CAMP! MARI SHOWS THE GROUP THE SCRIPT SHE HAS WRITTEN FOR THE BIG FESTIVAL AND EXPECTS MARI TO PLAY THE LEAD. SWEET, BUT SHY, MARI PANICS! WILL SHE BLOSSOM LIKE THE PLAY'S HEROINE, OR SIMPLY WITHER?

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It's so
pretty!

And SUMMER
MEANS THE
BEACH!

THREE DAYS
AND TWO
NIGHTS.

Woo hoo!
Let's go
summer!



SUMMER'S
HERE!

WHOOOSH



ALL OF US IN
THE THREATEN
GROUP ARE
HERE FOR
OUR FABULOUS
CAMP!



Winter (End) Camp Chapter 9

Aw, we're
dragged
back to
reality...

A-E-I-
O-U!

Seven
benevolent
alphabets!

OK!
From
the
top!

SERIOUS

PHOOOHHH

This is
going to be
rough...

Got it?
Moving
on!

The festival
is coming up
soon, and we
don't have a
moment to
write

What
are you
saying?

Um,
hmm, isn't
practicing
right after
we got here
a bit...

Well...

To
obliviate
your
anxieties...

...we've
got these
trusty
bubbles!







Yeah...
these
are real
tears.

No
emojis
around
here...



What do
you all
think?

Before
vacation
began,
I think I
gave the
script to all
of you.

I was even
looking
forward
to this a
little...

...EACH OF
US ONLY
HAD TO
REHEARSE
FOOD,
HIGHLIGHTING,
AND PERSONAL
ITEMS.

Thinking
back,
the camp
manager
said...

*Thanks Camp
Manager for the support
and the fun we had during
the trip.*



It's
good,
isn't it?

Yeah

I think it's
interesting.



It's a story
ABOUT A HIGH
SCHOOL GIRL.

The title of
"Mizukushi."



Behind
this.



Mono's
a really
good
writer...



She went
up to three
MYSTERIOUS
SPIRITS
BEFORE HER.

Her entire
life has been
rough, and in
desperation she
tried, but failed,
to end it.



The
SPIRITS
ARE
dead.

When she
realized,
"I'm
happy..."



The SPIRITS
WENT
RED...

...THEN
WENT
BLUE.

The THREE
HELP HER
ATTAIN THE
LOVE SHE'S
GIVEN UP ON.





In fact...

I created a role for each of us here.



I wrote the lead role specifically for you.



Now wait just a second!

Hmm... Seems there aren't many lines for Monch's character.



The casting was not even before I started it.

It'll be the Third Sprites.



Kai will play the boy whom the girl has a crush on.

That's it.

Takashi and Kaito... will be the First and Second Sprites.

Oh, yes...
Monch's character.

わーん WHINE









Hono

You're
too
important



Quit
fooling
around
We don't
have time
for this.

No, not
I'm asking
you out
on a date!
♡



I'm
not so
sure...



It's OK.
She can
do it.



You're right
that Mug
is the one
who's most
senior to
the main
character...

Yeah, I am
the only
one left
about
two months
left.



but
this is
too soon
and too
sudden
for her

The
pressure of
being the
lead will
crush her





Even if
he asked
me, I still
wouldn't.



No,
I couldn't go
any further
without you!

So, how
far did
you get?



Who-?!

If you're
gonna do
that, wait
until we're
all gone
to bed!

Well...
I asked her for
a romantic
walk on the
beach, but she
rejected me!



Stop!

Do your
part
agent!

Stupid,
not
enough
energy!

SLAM



All right,
let's start
from zero
then!

OK!



We go to bed at 11:30! You know the schedule!

And why do you think that is? Look at the time!

Can't you see everyone's tired?



So HARD...

I worked hard to create the list especially for you.

Don't tell me you're embarrassed!



Wine...

You're doing fine. Just believe in yourself!

You have a good vocal. Map.

Wait! I'm here?



How many times do I have to tell you?

Oh, and Map, you aren't projecting enough!

Overkill?

I'm sorry.



That's
why we're
practicing!
So you
will have
confidence.



No matter
how much I
practice...
I won't have
the confidence
to project
my voice on
stage...

...makes no
difference
if no one
can hear it.

A good
voice...



Try
harder
then!



But, I
already
am...

It might be
tough...
...but give it
your all!

Upper
Grade



You're so
good at
everything...

...without
understanding
my feelings.

Upper
Grade





...so you
have all the
confidence
you need.

Compared
to you,
I'm just...

SLAM!

SILENCE











Like Sand in the Sea Chapter 10















...I'll just
stay here,
too...

Well, if
you don't
want to go
back...

How
can I...

...ENTER
FACE INTO
AGAIN?



Keep on
being little
Miss Mugi
"I-CAN'T-DO-
anything"
Aah?

I couldn't
take back
to me...



Besides, if I go
back without
you, the only
thing that
seems me is a
death sentence
from my so

There's no
way I'm
going to
leave you
out here
all alone...

No,
please

It's not
your
problem,
Kis



Don't worry,
let's go back
together
after you
feel better.



The group's
only fun for
me because
you're in it,
too. Because
we're both
members, it's
my problem.

So to
everyone
that's my
problem...











The next morning.









If you
can't
see that,
then you
should
be the
one going
home!



LULU
CRUNCH



How
long do
you plan
on being
mad at
me?

...I'm
going
make
you

If you
don't
settle
down...

That
was a
waste



...I liked
your
ideas! That's
why I'm
here!

Do you
even
remember
why you
started
the club?

Even
though
you're
twisted
and hard
to deal
with...

FEH
SLAM





I'm going
back to
the room.
We're meeting
at 10. 10...

...be
on
time



What
you need
to focus
on is...

...whether
you're going
to quit or
keep on
trying



The reason
I started
this group
was to...



What
is it?

Takashi,
I have
something
to ask
you...

For that...

...very
simple
reason.



...ENJOY
TIME WITH MY
FRIENDS.

TIME THAT
WE WOULD
REMEMBER
FOREVER.



A VERY
IMPORTANT
REASON



WHOOOSH

So frustrating...

DOOM

Were the ones who have to clean up the mess, aren't we?

WHOOOSH

WHOOOSH

WHOOOSH



WHOOOOSH



WHOOOOSH

The water makes the sand stick even harder together.

The best thing to do is to build it again with wet sand.









Yes,
THAT
WAS
ME...



You Can Do It! Chapter II





All right!
Thanks!



Can we
see it?
Pretty
please?

THAT WAS THE OLD ME.
I'M NOT THE GIRL I WAS...



Let's
hurry
up and
copy it!

Whoo,
this is
really
mcredible!







Should
I quit?



I CAN
STILL
QUIT.

WHOOOSH

WHOOOSH



It'll be
sadder
if I do.



I could
give it
a shot.

I thought
if I just
had a small
role...



Me,
too



...
because
I was
forced
to.

I joined
the
group...



Is the
first
race...



That's
it.

That's
what
she
meant!

That
time.



You
know

... we're
very
similar.

I used
to think
I wasn't
cut out
for this,
also.



TA-DUM!



That's
right...



For...

...won't
regret joining
theater
I have a
feeling you'll
look back one
day and be
glad that you
signed on



You know
when you're
always
starting
you're doing
alone



You're so
good at
everything

...except
understanding
my feelings

...have
been so
stupid.



Then,
you have
to snap
up and
talk to
him

don't it?
All I can do
is set up an
opportunity
for you to
get close
to him.



OK then,
I'll make him
pay attention
to you!



GRIP
47

I'm such a
hipocrite.



So
much

GRUMBLE









If you
believe
you can
change...

...you
can do
it.



But
am...

I don't
have enough
confidence to
play the lead
role yet, though



Which
is it?

Uh...

No!
Ah, no!
The lead
role!!

So you
want it
there!



Mugi!

Yes!!

TENSE





Like what?





Quiet!
Can't you
see we're
rehearsing
in here?

You
made
her cry!

That's not
true!
I've been
looking out
for her!

BOOM!

Who cares
about your
stupid
logic?

Besides,
you've
been the
worst of
all!



Tandy!

Don't
come!

YOU!



?!



How long
have they
been there?

DA-
DUM

Uhh...
Huh...
Huh...



We need
to start
where
we left
off.

Rushing up
and get
in here





I believe
in you.

Don't
give up.

What
will
that?

OK...

SLIDE

SLIDE

And...

...Thank
you,
Mup.

くさ...
GIGGLE









Rehearsal Time! Chapter 2



シズ
SIZZLE

シズ
SIZZLE







We'll start from where we left off.

Yes, sir/m'am!

Break's over! Let's get ready!

OK everybody, it's time!



Did you hear that?

We're starting again.



I'm selecting the music, so leave me alone.











Something...

... has breathed
new life
into her!

Even my
lens has
captured it.



For bringing
her out of
her shell.

I have
to thank
you, Kite.



You
just said
something
weird.

Um...

Why are
you so
red?

BLUSH

Was what
I said
really that
weird?

BLUSH

Anyway
not
me...

I didn't
do
anything,
Kite!

It is
not the
person you
should thank...









Yes! A little break sounds good.

Oh, I'm sorry!



Rush gets a little overly excited sometimes.

It's OK.

But, you said you were tired...

CONFUSED

PANT

CONFUSED



F
STAND

Let's move on to the next scene



I want...
...have to thank them.



Hey, Mond can we at least get a fan in here?

I'm surprised at Mond.

Sure, I'll bring one from home.

Muzi!
Good luck!

All right,
your part
again from
the last!

OK,
Muzi!

Y-

Yes!

You
don't
have
to do
that...

So...







No,
it's not
that...

Oh,
really?

Do the best
you can
with what
you've got
right?



It's also
important
to think of
the future.

And...

I want
to live in
that now.

Takashi,
don't you
understand?

Now...
this
moment...
only exists
right now,
right at this
moment.



WHATP!

I'm sorry
Takeda was
sexually
harassing
me



Future?
I don't
know the
meaning
of that
word



What are we
supposed to
do if
one of the
characters is
off chatting?
It's your loss!

Hah,
Haha!



On that
day, I
received...

This is
THE SCOTT
PATH
FOR ME.



Don't
bother
to her!

And get
giving
me that
strange
look!

What
kind of
a guy
are
you?

THIS IS MY
ANSWER.

BECAUSE...

I WON'T
QUIT.





Just a little bit...

How long are you going to stay like this?



There it is! There it is!

He's in that room.



Is that Muu?

That voice...

I want to change!

Yet...



So, you're satisfied with yourself?

TREMBLE



I FEEL
SOMETHING
FEELING ON
MY HEAD.

!!
PRESSURE



What
is it?

What
could
it be?



SOMETHING
DIFFERENT.



Did
something
happen to
her, did
the culprit?

I know
she had
a good
voice,
but...











What a weird...

How could she forget all about Takashi?

SWIFT!



It started raining.

Done...

Oh...



ARE YOU REALLY OK WITH THE WAY THINGS ARE?

PLIP

PLIP

PLIP



Hey, Honda...



Don't worry about that later.

Do you think it'll stop before we go home?

For now...

Let's refresh some more

77 77 ...

P&HHHH...



A Summer Experience Chapter 13





Once the fall semester starts, there will be more and more posters.



Until the festival, we'll have to spend lots of time promoting our play.

We're counting on you.



But... it's... my...

I feel like I'm going to die!

FLUTTER FLUTTER

Mugi, do you plan on standing there and cowering that until the festival?



You'll be a celebrity! Come on, let's keep going!

But some of them are over school... of me...



Even so, it's too late to make changes to the posters.

I think it's a good picture.





we've got
a little
problem
with
costumes.

What's up?
Why so
tense?



If you hadn't
bet our
funding,
we wouldn't
be in this
mess!

So, I'm
thinking
where we
can cut
corners.



The funds
we've raised
so far aren't
enough to
cover our
expenses.

None of
us have
time to
get a job.



The
funding,
right?

It's
give
the
back
to
you.

I've
also
looking
on to it.

ACTUALLY







TREMBLE

PLEASE
USE THIS!

Here...

TREMBLE







What
do you
need the
curtain's
meant?



I looked
everywhere.

We probably
forgot to
put it away
the last time
we used it.

It's a big one.
Maybe it's
gone.

Did you
check the
whole
storage
room?



Items Inventory
- Curtain, Quantity 4
- Curtain



There are
other
things—

Well, if
it's gone,
it's gone.

What
do you
have a
second?



I could
have
sworn
we did

I want
to
say...

longer
there!

We still have
some funding
left over,
so make a
purchase order
and show it to
me later.

It
can't
be
helped.

Thank
you,
President
Aoi!

Sometimes
doesn't
add up.

Thanks
for your
hard
work.

We'll
catch
up for
today.

CHATTER
あ

That's
true...

One
up!

I'd like to
change the
protagonist's
music to
this piece.

First
let's get
some
ones!

あ
CHATTER

Mine







TEN MINUTES
LATER...



















本野信二
一年 脚本

Script Stage
- (Storyboard)
- (Storyboard)

山口実
二年

照明士

Lighting
Director
- (Storyboard)
- (Storyboard)

和久井貞浩
二年 舞台監督

Script Stage
- (Storyboard)
- (Storyboard)

一年 脚本

Script Stage
- (Storyboard)
- (Storyboard)

Two People In Storage Chapter 14





I think I lost my voice.

WHY CAN'T SHE...



...SHOW EMOTION,
EVEN WHEN SHE TELLS ME THIS?



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Who are you?

Do you have business here?

THU

Uh... H...
I'm Megumi
Aoki...

From the
Theatre
Research
Group!

FRAZZLE

カアアア







Don't
say such
a stupid
thing!

Please stop crying.
After all, it's not
your place to cry
over this.



I was the
one who
convinced
you to join
theater!

It's my
fault!



Not my
place...

...to
cry over
this!

Please stop crying.
After all, it's not
your place to cry
over this.

And now
your
voice is
gone.

110 #
RUSTLE

The way
we feel
was so
stupid...

111 #
FLUTTER ..



WE'VE MET
THE SAME
WAY MOST
PEOPLE DO.

THE DEAR
NEXT TO ME.
IN THE SAME
CLASSE...

Hi, I'm
Mina.
What's your
name?



Nice to
meet
you,
Mina!

H-
Hono!



If only
our seats
hadn't
been next
to each
other...







I wondered
why you
acted so
selfishly

That made
me really
upset back
then

ZOOM
Z

Your health
was at stake,
and I couldn't
understand why
you had to be
so belligerent.

ZOOM
Z



I wonder if
mine went
home
already



I'm
going
to...

...form
my
own
group



What's wrong with worrying about that?

But you have only one body in this life.



It's just a club for only three years, right?



If I take that into consideration...



What?

...I don't feel bad about saying you should quit.



I wonder if she's in there.





SEBASTIAN

...

I CAN GO
ON AND ON.

Who-It

YOU
ARE SO...

THERE'S
NOTHING
GOOD
ABOUT
THE.



Then,
you aren't
my friend.

...THERE'S
ONE GOOD
THING
ABOUT HER.

My friend:
Mirei Sakaki

CERTAINLY...

If you
can't
under-
stand...

how
much I care
about you

Stupid!



Moez
was only
thinking
of Nono's
health when
she asked
her to quit.

And Nono
probably wanted
to continue
because
it was her
connection
with Moez.



Even though
they're
looking in
each other's
direction...

...they
still can't
see eye
to eye.









ALL THEY
DO IS
ROCK.

THAT KIND OF
ROMANCE IS
WONDERFUL,
TOO.

...AND
THEY
RETURNED
TO NORMAL.

Hey,
you could
be a little
happier,
after all your
troubles
just ended.



What's
so funny,
hug?

Shut
up!



Oh,
I was just
thinking...

...about
how glad I
am that I
joined this
group.



...BUT I
WISH TO PUT
ON A GREAT
SHOW, ONE
WE'LL NEVER
FORGET.

I'M STILL
PRETTY
ANNOYED...



Oh, yeah...
about the
funding!

For
Nono...

And for
myself
...



It's gonna
be an
incredible
festival!

It's
hers!





You Are Not Alone Chapter 15





OOH...

And the
ones who'll
decide their
fates are...
...you!

AHHH...

So
dramatic!



If you like
what you
see, put
the ball in
their box,
and
that's it!

It's that
simple!

You can view
either or
both of the
productions!



A competition
of survival
between the
two theater
groups!

Here begins
a battle of
both subtle
eloquence
and burning
passion!





It must
be all
in my
mind...

Oh, I guess...

We wear skirts
to school
every day,
so what's the
difference?

Oh!
Looking
good,
you sexy
thing!

Isn't this
just a
little short?

おはようございます。今日も一日元気に過ごしましょう。



Mad
Cafes are
in fashion
lately!
We gotta
follow the
trends,
you know!

We're young
and fresh
right now!
We look
super hot!

LET'S DRIVE
'EM BOMBERS!



Oh, Ka!
Good timing!
Take a look
at Meg!

Hey!
The natives
are getting
restless,
so get your
bunata-ripe
butts out
here!




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Peace
come in
and rejoice
with us.

Award
 CofC
 open for
 business

100

100

10

MAID GAFE

OPEN FOR BUSINESS

On a road
from
cure

Also, you're such a nerd!

10



240

There's nothing
perverted about
living maids who
fulfill the wishes
of men.



How
do
you

Get your hands off that bambo right this instant! I'm going to smack you if you don't!

6000

[illegible]





CLOMP













Well
I...

...WE ARE
TO STAND
WHERE
MEET IS
HOW?



So you saw
the whole
thing then?

We didn't
want to
disturb
anybody...

Oh?
You were
standing
there the
whole time?



By the way,
Takashi,
what's going
on with your
class event?
Are you Ok
being here?

We just
did an
art exhibit,
so I don't
have to be
there

yes







You're gonna be all right





I know
that,
but...



Come on, Kai.
Don't screw this one up!

And
um...

I'll be
there
too!



But...
if you give
up now and
quit only...

You'll
regret the
half-year
you wasted
preparing.



Because
not only
the bad
moments...



It'll be okay.
Once you're
out there, the
time will pass
by in a flash.
Just go out
there.

You
don't
have to
run away
anymore.



...will become
terrible
memories that
you won't
ever want to
recall again.

...but the fun
moments also...



I DID THINK
THAT I NEVER
DREAMED I
WOULD, OR
COULD, DO.

SO MUCH HAS
HAPPENED
OVER THESE
LAST SIX
MONTHS.



UNTIL I
POPPED
THEATER...

When you
honestly know
that you did
your very
best...



AND THEN
I REALIZED
SOMETHING.

Mugu...



...you'll
come to
think fondly
even of the
tough times

...I HAD
NEVER REALLY
TRIED TO DO
ANYTHING WITH
ALL MY HEART
BEFORE.



MEOW!



That's not
just the
magic of
theater...

...but the
magic of life.



...SLEEP AWAY
FROM ME.

BUT I CANNOT
LET THIS
MOMENT...

MY FRIEND'S FAVORITE

HITOHIRA IN FOUR MOVEMENTS



ON EXPRESSING FEELINGS



LET'S TALK ABOUT PERSONALITY



Tami's PERSONALITY: **HAHA!**



KEEPING IT REAL

